

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend page 7, line 27, to page 8, line 7, as follows:

The surface of the obtained scaly glass flakes retains fire-polished surface with smoothness as is at the time of melting molding. The said scaly glass flakes can reflect the light well because of its smooth surface. It is preferable to incorporate these scaly glass flakes into a coating material or a resin composition, because a highly brightness can be obtained. As scaly glass flakes like these, for example, MICROGLAS (registered trade mark) R[[-]]GLASFLAKE (registered trade mark) R[[-]]series (RCF-160, REF-160, RCF-015, REF-015) are commercially available from Nippon Sheet Glass Co., Ltd.

Please amend page 8, lines 11 to 17, as follows:

As the scaly glass flakes coated with a metal and exhibiting brightness, METASHINE (registered trade mark) RPS series such as MC5480PS, MC5230PS, MC5150PS, MC5090PS, MC5030PS, MC2080PS, ME2040PS, ME2025PS, MC5480NS, MC5230NS, MC5150NS, MC5090NS, MC5030NS, MC5480NB, MC5230NB, MC5150NB, MC5090NB, MC5030NB, MC1040NB, and MC1020NB are commercially available from Nippon Sheet Glass Co., Ltd.

Please amend page 9, lines 7 to 14, as follows:

As the scaly glass flakes which are coated with a metal oxide and exhibit interference color, for example, METASHINE (registered trade mark) RRC series such as MC5090RS, MC5090RY, MC5090RR, MC5090RB, MC5090RG, MC1080RS, MC1080RY, MC1080RR, MC1080RB, MC1080RG, MC1040RS, MC1040RY, MC1040RR, MC1040RB, MC1040RG, MC1020RS, MC1020RY, MC1020RR, MC1020RB, MC1020RG, MC5090FG, MC5090FR, MC5090FB, and MC5090FC are commercially available from Nippon Sheet Glass Co., Ltd.